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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re A | application of: |) | |
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| | HJ. Su HUANG el et al. |) | Group Art Unit: 1623 |
| Application No.: 09/071,541 | |) | Examiner: Kathleen K. Fonda, Ph.D |
| Filed: | May 4, 1998 |) | |
| For: | METHODS TO MODULATE THE RESISTANCE OF CELLS TO APOPTOSIS MEDIATED BY MUTANT EPIDERMAL GROWTH FACTOR RECEPTORS |)))) | |
| | nissioner of Patents ngton, D.C. 20231 | | |

NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated February 17, 2000, rejecting claims <u>1-16</u>.

1. Extension of Time

[X] Applicants petition for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a), for the total number of months checked below:

| Total Months | Fee for | [Fee for Small | |
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| Requested | Extension | Entity] | |
| [] one month | \$ 110.00 | \$ 55.00 | |
| [] two months | \$ 380.00 | \$190.00 | |
| [X] three months | \$ 870.00 | \$435.00 | |
| [] four months | \$1,360.00 | \$680.00 | |

[] Applicants believe that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that Applicants have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

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| | [] | A check in the amount of \$ to cover the extension of time fee is enclosed. | |
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| | [X] | The Commissioner is authorized to charge <u>\$870.00</u> to Deposit Account No. 50-0310 for payment of the requisite three-month extension of time | RECEIVED |
| | | fee. | AUG 2 2 2000 |
| 2. | Notic | te of Appeal Fee - 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b) | TECH CENTER 1600/290 |
| | [] | A check in the amount of \$ to cover the appeal fee is enclosed. | |
| | [X] | The Commissioner is authorized to charge \$300.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-0310 for payment of the Notice of Appeal fee | |

3. <u>Constructive Petition</u>

[X] Except for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. §1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 and §1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3).

Respectfully submitted,

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